

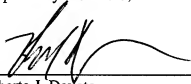
REMARKS

Claims 1, 7, 8, 14, 16, 20, 21, 38-43 and 55-76 are pending in this application, with claims 1, 14, 67, 72, and 76 being independent. Claims 77-81 have been canceled to reduce the number of issues for appeal. Claim 76 has been amended to correct a typographical error. This amendment is being filed with an appeal brief.

Please apply any charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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